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Howland Wood. Esq

My dear Sir:

John E Morse Esq of Hadley, Massachusetts has given me your name and address. I am a collector in a very small way of bronze medallions and want to exchange a duplicate of the Lafayette medallion by J.E. Caine for one of the Series of American Presidents put out by the Philadelphia mint. The Lafayette medallion is # 5 of the Series put out by the Circle of Friends of the Medallion, now out of existence

Mr. Morse a member of this Society though perhaps you cared address me much matter. My collection is very small, about 50 items, my interest much matter growing out of my interest in Washington material.

Thanking you for your courtesy much matter I am

Yours very truly

Carlyle S. Baer.

8th November, 1927

Carlyle S. Baer, Esq.,
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Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

I am very sorry that we can not help you out as regards exchanging a Lafayette medallion by Roine for one of the Mint medals. We already have in our Museum one of these Lafayette medals and have no duplicate Mint medals.

The best and easiest way to get a Mint medal would be to purchase directly at the Mint. Write to the Superintendent of the Mint, Philadelphia, for a list of the medals they have for sale.

Very truly yours,

Curator